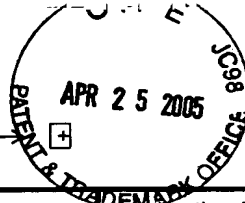


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☐ Licensing-related Papers

☐ Petition

☐ Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application

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☐ Terminal Disclaimer

☐ Request for Refund

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☐ Status Letter

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Remarks

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action ("Action") mailed January 25, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the file of the above-identified application. Entry and consideration of these amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. The sections included in this response are as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment, and

**Remarks** begin on page 6.